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SUBJECT: US CUSTOMS INC EXECUTIVE OBSERVATION PROGRAM FOR DURGA

PRAKASH PANDEY, CUSTOMS DIRECTOR OF NEPAL

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- 1. EMBASSY BELIEVES PROGRAM PROPOSED REFTEL SHOULD GIVE PANDEY EXCELLENT EXPOSURE NOT ONLY TO US BUT TO IMPORTANT ASPECTS OF US CUSTOMS SERVICE. PANDEY HIMSELF IS MOST PLEASED AND IS GRATEFUL THAT IT WAS POSSIBLE TO GRANT HIS WISH TO RETURN VIA THE PACIFIC.
- 2. PANDEY WAS GIVEN US TREASURY CHECK APRIL 6 IN AMOUNT OF \$1425 AS PER PARA TWO REFTEL. DUE TO PROBLEMS OF CURRENCY EXCHANGE HERE, HE PLANS CARRY CHECK WITH HIM AND WILL PROBABLY WISH TO CASH SAME AND CONVERT INTO TRAVELERS CHECKS HIS FIRST DAY IN WASHINGTON.
- 3. PANDEY'S ARRIVAL PLANS REMAIN AS IN KATHMANDU 1478.
- 4. PLEASE CONFIRM BY RETURN CABLE THAT HONORABLE VERNON D. ACREE REMAINS COMMISSIONER, U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE. HECK

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